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WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

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WILMINGTON HONORS ITS WAR DEAD

Wilmington will honor its war dead today with the rest of the nation with appropriate exercises starting at nine o'clock. The roster of parade and the order of exercises will be as follows:

ROSTER OF PARADE
Detail of police
Parade Marshal: Commander K. J. Powers, American Legion.
Chief of Staff: Commander John F. Vadaikes, VFW with aide.
Military Band
United States Armed Service Units.

Colors and Color Guard, American Legion and VFW.

Board of Selectmen and Town Manager.

American Legion Firing Squad.

American Legion Drill Team.

Wilmington Post 136, AL.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Firing Squad.

Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458, VFW.

Detail of Firemen

School Band

Wilmington Post 136, American Legion Auxiliary

Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458, VFWA

Disabled Veterans.

Gold Star Mothers

Boy Scouts of America

Girl Scouts of America

JCDA

Other patriotic organizations.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

9 a.m. Veterans assemble on the Town Common. Exercises at Regan and Nee Parks, Commanders, Colors, Firing Squads, Chaplains and Buglers. Exercises at Regan Park under the direction of American Legion Post 136. Exercises at Nee Park under the direction of Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458, VFW. Placing of wreaths at Drew Square and Berigan Square.

9:15 a.m. Parade forms on Middlesex Avenue, at School Street. March down Middlesex Avenue to Main Street; to Church Street; left on Church Street to Cemetery.

9:30 a.m. Start of Parade.

10:00 a.m. Arrive at Mill Brook. Exercises under the direction of Commander Karl Powers, AL. Casting of wreath on water by Chaplain Michael H. Barry, AL, assisted by Chaplain Marguerite A. Baker, Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, in memory of those who died at sea. March by the Band, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean." Address by Rev. Otis A. Maxfield. Firing Squad. Taps.

10:15 a.m. Arrive at Memorial Shrine, St. Thomas of Villanova Church. Exercises under the direction of Commander John Vadaikes, VFW. Address and prayer by Rev. Albert Shea. Placing of wreath by Commanders of the American Legion and the VFW. Firing Squad. Taps.

10:30 a.m. Arrive at Rogers Park. Exercises under the direction of Commander Karl Powers, AL. Placing of wreath by Chaplain Allick Epstein, VFW, assisted by Chaplain Sadie J. Thiel, ALA. Address and prayer by President Albert S. Kaufman, Wilmington Synagogue. Hymn by the Band. Firing Squad. Taps.

10:45 a.m. Arrive at Soldiers Monument. Exercises under the direction of Commander John Vadaikes, VFW. Placing of wreath by Chaplains Michael H. Barry, AL and Allick Epstein, VFW. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address delivered by a representative of the Boy Scouts of America. Address and prayer by Rev. John J. Regan. Vacant Chair by the Band in memory of the heroic dead of all wars. Roll Call of World War II dead. Decoration of Crosses, deceased Veterans of World War II. Firing Squad. Taps.

11:30 a.m. Parade to Graves. De-

coration of Graves, Firing Squad. Taps.

11:45 a.m. Arrive at Soldiers Lot. Exercises under the direction of Commander Karl J. Powers, AL. Placing of wreath by Presidents M. J. Woods, ALA and Jennie L. Pilcher, VFWA. Address and prayer by Rev. Stanley L. Cummings. Hymn by the Band. Firing Squad. Taps. Star Spangled Banner.

12 noon Arrive at Common. Disband.

Beginning one hour before the exercises, all automobiles will be excluded from the cemetery and will not be allowed to enter until the ceremonies are completed.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

Karl J. Powers, John F. Vadaikes, John H. Tautges, Joseph A. Grimes, Arthur B. Harper, Frederick H. Horton, William J. Irwin, Francis Farrell, Joseph B. McMahon, William A. Simmons, Michael H. Barry, Allick Epstein, Thomas W. Wagstaff, George E. Reynolds, Edward L. Smith, Frederick M. Kleynen, Francis X. Peters, Julius Gordon, Margaret J. Woods, Jennie L. Pilcher, Anna Smith, Marilyn H. Lynch, Mary White, Rita M. Palino, Sadie J. Thiel, Marguerite A. Baker.

Honorary Members: Joseph T. Kelley, First Commander, Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458, VFW.

Susan T. Esler, Past President, Massachusetts Department, ALA.

TROOP 4 MEETS

Brownie Troop 4 held its meeting on Wednesday, May 23 at the Walker School. The meeting opened with the salute to the flag and the Brownie Promise.

The project for the day was the making of Indian dolls. Plans were made for a party which is to be held on the last meeting day, May 29th.

The meeting closed with the living circle.

CELEBRATE 14th ANNIVERSARY

A very successful dancing party commemorating the 14th anniversary of the Silver Lake Betterment Association was held on Wednesday evening, at the hall on Main St.

The hall was very attractively decorated with multi-colored crepe paper and cut flowers. A buffet lunch served by Mrs. Boyden and her committee was enjoyed by all.

Among the participants were 3 of the Associations past presidents; Joseph Cunningham, Mr. William Curtin and Mr. Edward Welling.

Music was provided by Charlie Stokes and his orchestra.

CONDUCT DANCING PARTY

The East Wilmington Improvement Association held a very successful dancing party at the hall on Lowell Street on Saturday evening. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge, including Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray and Mr. and Mrs. John Sheehan.

AUCTION JUNE 19

The East Wilmington Improvement Association will hold an auction at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson on Wildwood Street, on Saturday, June 9. Anyone wishing to donate any articles to this sale, may leave them with Mrs. Robinson.

PAPER DRIVE

Due to the multitude of paper found in every home Saturday, the Fireside Fellowship was able to cover only half of the parish. Therefore, the paper drive will be continued this Saturday, June 2, 1951.

It would be most appreciated if people would have their paper neatly tied.

HEAD-ON COLLISION ON LOWELL STREET

TWO LOCAL MEN RECEIVE LETTER OF COMMENDATION

Capt. Pleasant D. Gold, Jr., USN, commander of the Boston Naval Shipyard, announced that Frederick W. McQuaide, 404 Salem Street and William F. Murphy, Wightman Rd., both of Wilmington, received an award and a letter of commendation from the Navy Department for a Beneficial Suggestion which was submitted by the Naval employees.

The Beneficial Suggestion Program consists of time and labor-saving devices submitted to the Shipyard. When accepted the employee is rewarded with a check ranging from \$10 to \$275. The last group of suggestions, it is estimated, will save the federal government more than \$15,000 annually.

ASSO. WILL MEET JUNE 14

The next regular meeting of the Silver Lake Betterment Association will be held on Monday evening, June 4. Hostess for the evening will be Mrs. Phyllis DeTomasso.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD

The Wilmington Grange Memorial Services were held on Wednesday evening. The services were opened by Master Thomas McQuaide who escorted the guests to his station. Guests included: Rev. Father Shea, Pastor of St. Thomas' church; Marilyn Lynch, president of the VFW Auxiliary; John Vadaikes, Commander of the VFW; Anna Smith of the American Legion Auxiliary; Rev. Hayward, South Tewksbury Methodist Church; Mrs. Waive Drew and Mrs. Carpenter, Gold Star Mothers.

Roses were placed on the altar by Pomona, Beatrice Miller in memory of all Grange members who have passed on and by each of the representatives for their respective organizations. The services were closed by Rev. Hayward.

After the closing ceremonies, refreshments were served by Mrs. H. Miller, Real Desharnais, Edith Munis and Mrs. Finney.

The next meeting of the Grange will be a joint meeting with Reading Grange at Reading on June 3.

ROTARY MEETS

The regular meeting of the Wilmington Rotary Club was held on Wednesday at noon.

The president introduced the following visitors from Woburn: F. Smith, Bob Cavanaugh, George Cutter, and Tim Walsh; from Melrose: Tom Delancey; from Reading: C. Hips. Meyer Weinberg introduced his guest, Thomas Rosendorg. S. Bean introduced the speaker of the day, the new superintendent of schools, Clifford Good. Mr. Good chose as his subject, "The Different Types of Education."

Following the regular meeting, a board of directors meeting was held to act up on the application of two new members.

DEAN CUSHING ADDRESSES STUDENTS

Mr. Dean Cushing, town manager, addressed the entire student body of Wilmington High School last Wednesday afternoon. He spoke on the problems of town managership.

LOCAL VFW POST TO ATTEND MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

Led by Joseph A. Grimes, Commander-elect for District 15, delegates from Wilmington's Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458 will attend the monthly meeting of the Middlesex County Council, VFW, at 2:30 p.m. next Sunday, June 3 at the Main St. headquarters of the Townsend Post 6583. All candidates for the department office elections to be held at next month's convention in New Bedford have been invited to address the County delegates.

Police are conducting an investigation into the head-on collision of two cars that occurred Tuesday morning on Lowell Street. Two passengers were injured in the crash. Mrs. Glassman, mother of the driver of one of the cars, suffered a broken leg and body injuries and Lillian Revine, sister of Mrs. Glassman also suffered a broken leg and body injuries.

Irving Appleby, local man, administered first aid and set the broken legs before transferring the injured to a waiting ambulance. Sergeant Sidelinker transported the women to the Choate Memorial Hospital, Woburn.

VFW AUXILIARY MEETS

The VFW Auxiliary held its District 15 meeting last Tuesday evening at the VFW Hall on Lowell Street. Nominations, elections and installation of officers was conducted.

Members elected and installed were: President, Helen Grimes of the Billerica Auxiliary; Senior vice president, Elsie Walters of the Lowell Auxiliary; Junior vice president, Rose Herity of the Lowell Auxiliary; Chaplain, Mary Brown, Tewksbury Auxiliary; Treasurer, Dorothy DeMarais, Tewksbury Auxiliary; Conductress, Deborah Kleyen, Wilmington Auxiliary; Guard, Evelyn Gordon, Wilmington Auxiliary; Secretary, Mabel Kennedy, Wilmington Auxiliary; Patriotic Instructor, Marguerite Baker, Wilmington Auxiliary; Assistant Conductress, Marilyn Lynch, Wilmington Auxiliary; Color Bearers, Jenny Pilcher, Wilmington, Rose Lloyd, Wilmington, Helen Bridges, Tewksbury and Stella Houlihan, Tewksbury.

BREAK INTO B&M ENGINE HOUSE

Sometime on May 25th thieves broke into the Engine House of the B&M RR and stole a quantity of sheets, blankets and pillowcases. The robbery was discovered at daybreak on May 26.

EAST SCHOOL

The East School, on Woburn St., which has stood so many years is being renovated and possibly converted into a dwelling house. A new shingle roof has been put on, and the insides are currently being changed. The building is now owned by a Mr. Sardi, of Malden.

NOT THIS TIME

Gildart's Garage and Service Station which has suffered a number of cases of breaking and entering, by petty thieves, was molested Saturday night, about 10:30 p.m. Intruders tried to gain entrance thru the back window, but were scared away by a Burglar alarm.

MAY PARTY

The Congregational Sunday School held its annual May party on Saturday, in the church yard. The Queen of the May Day was Miss Barbara Bishop of Chestnut Street.

LOST DOG

Mrs. Alice Van Buskirt of Bellflower Road, Billerica reported that she had lost an Irish Setter Dog in the vicinity of Silver Lake. The dog is exceptionally large, and answers to the name of Jeff.

WHEELCHAIR NEEDED

We know of a case in Wilmington where a wheelchair is needed. Anyone know of one that isn't being used? A pair of crutches is needed, as well, if there are any to be had.

LOSES FINGER TIP

Little Catherine Peters of Grant Street was rushed to St. John's Hospital in the police cruiser on Saturday afternoon. She lost the tip of her finger when the screen door slammed on her.

VANDALS

Two baskets of flowers were stolen from the cemetery last week according to a report given to the police.

Francis Emmons Jr., of Reading was driving his car on Lowell St towards Lowell when the accident occurred. His car and the other vehicle operated by Elliot Glassman came in contact at approximately 8 a.m. Tuesday morning, neither of the drivers were injured.

Both cars were towed to a local garage.

STOLEN CAR

Bertha Taylor, of Pond Street, Tewksbury had her car, a Chrysler sedan stolen from her, in Reading at about 8 p.m. on May 24. She reported to the police in Reading, that she had left it beside the road, and later, when she returned the car was gone.

The same car was found at about 11:15 p.m. by Officer Markey and Chief Lynch on West Street in Wilmington. The right rear window had been broken. The car was towed to a local garage.

AMBULANCE CASE

Mrs. Tendyke of Hathaway Road was taken to Winchester Hospital on May 24 by the town ambulance. Officer Shepard drove. Dr. MacDougal was in attendance.

SPEEDERS FINED \$5 EACH

Four men were fined \$5 each in Woburn District Court for speeding. All pleaded guilty. One of them was also fined \$5 for operating without his license in his possession.

DOG KILLS CHICKENS

On complaint of James Lagomoso of Woburn Street, the Wilmington police investigated and found a hen in his yard, killed by a dog. Six other hens were reported missing. A neighbor stated that he had seen a brown dog carrying away a chicken in his mouth. The complaint was made at 5 p.m. on May 25.

OLIN M. LONDON NAMED TO HONOR ROLL

Olin M. London, Jr., 120 Church St., has been named to the President's Honor Roll for superior ability and achievement for the quarter just ended at Burdett College. Mr. London is a junior in the Business Administration Department.

SQUARE DANCE SATURDAY

There will be a square dance held in the new parish hall, adjacent to the "Church of the Good Shepherd" in Reading on Saturday evening. Music will be provided by a professional orchestra from Boston. Tickets will be .60c. The public is cordially invited.

APARTMENT WANTED

My Mommy and Daddy are looking for an apartment or house to rent. Pop thinks he should be close to his work. Mom kinda likes the idea of continuous hot water . . . and both agree the place should be heated in the winter. 'course I'm a little girl one month old and the only thing I want is to be with them. My Daddy is going to work for the Billerica News and thinks we need at least three or four rooms in Billerica or neighboring towns. We're going to be here a long time and would like to be your neighbors. If you know of such a place, please write Jim Scott at 83 Wilmont Street in Manchester, New Hampshire.

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(cont. DR. SHEPARD SPEAKS ON TURKEY)

In this rather daring attempt to give you an overall picture of Turkey today, in a very few minutes, I feel that I must say something about what our government is doing. American military experts are helping to mechanize and modernize the Turkish army, navy and air force. The Economic Cooperation Administration is working to raise the standard of living by teaching Turkish engineers how to build and maintain an adequate network of all weather roads, supplying the machinery needed; by providing modern farm machinery and teaching the farmers how to use it and keep it in repair. American experts are advising in merchant marine, railroad, postal, telegraph and telephone services, in banking, the construction of power lines, water supply systems, hydro-electric plants, harbors, in mining and oil prospecting. The United States Information Service has set up libraries in the large cities, which are used by hundreds of Turkish students. It supplies accurate, up-to-date world news to the Turkish press, and its mobile movie units, mounted on jeeps, go to many of the small towns and some villages, showing moving pictures, illustrating how Americans live and work. The number of Americans in Turkey has shot up in the last few years from a few hundred to several thousand. They are, by and large, people we are proud of, doing their work with a real desire to be helpful, and promoting Turkish-American goodwill and mutual understanding.

I have tried to give you a rapid survey of the revolutionary changes and of the present American board and American government work in Turkey. You will ask, do our missionaries feel now that they were justified in staying on? What of the future? What can we reasonably expect them to accomplish from now on? I am sure we Turkey missionaries of your board, are all glad we decided to stay. The bonds of friendship and mutual dependence between Turkey and America are stronger today than ever before. Turkey's feeling of extreme nationalism and self-sufficiency have largely disappeared. The Turks like the American way of life. They have convincingly demonstrated their loyalty to the United Nations. They are eager to learn English. Hundreds of Turkish students are in

America today and thousands are eager to come, if they could only find the way and money to do so. All the American schools in Turkey, Robert College and Women's College in Istanbul, as well as the four American Board schools I mentioned before, have long waiting lists of students they are unable to accept for lack of funds and facilities.

What about religion in Turkey? The older I grow the easier I find it is to discuss religion with Turks in positions of leadership. Out of such discussions I have come to certain convictions, which I can only state in briefest outline. The ruthless repression of the politically minded priesthood, and banning of religious teaching in the schools, has had the effect of intensifying the religious hunger of the people. We recently learned that at one time Ataturk seriously considered adopting Protestantism as the state religion of the new Turkey. His advisors, I am glad to say, dissuaded him. No religion imposed from above could satisfy the longings of the human soul. The people of today are feeling a strong yearning for religion, but don't know how to satisfy it. The government has decided to re-introduce the teaching of religion in the schools, but has reached no decision as to how to bring it about.

Personally I believe Christianity must change in its organization and some of its outward manifestations, before it can meet the need of sincere Mohammedan seekers after truth. For example how can we expect them to understand why there are scores of differing Protestant sects? Our lives must be more like the life of Jesus, our thoughts more like his thoughts. We must be less preoccupied with gold and gadgets, and more deeply concerned with the problems of our brothers around the world.

Two things I beg of you. God has brought to your doors hundreds of eager Turkish boys and girls. Take them into your homes. Share with them your best selves, your aspirations and hopes for a better world. Let them see with their own eyes and hear with their own ears what your religion means to you. This is a God given opportunity to be missionaries in your home. Don't expect to change their labels, but pray God may be instrumental in changing their lives.

And really support the foreign work of your church. Don't belittle

it. Don't think you have done your duty by giving the missions half the price of a second-hand television set. Put your shoulders to the wheel. Get under this problem of interpreting Jesus to a war weary puzzled and disheartened world. And out of that effort will at last be born, I can assure you, a new and vital Christ-like solution to the great problem of man's common approach to God.

NEW BOOKS IN OUR LIBRARY THIS WEEK

by Esther Hall, Librarian

APRIL SNOW by Lillian Budd. A moving story of a Swedish mother and her 11 children, their struggles to live on a lonely island farm, and the fun they had on Feast Days, and when friends from the mainland visited them. Well written, and will hold the reader's interest from beginning to end.

AN ISLAND SUMMER by Walter Magnus Teller. A reminiscence of a summer the Teller family, 4 boys, mother and dad, spent on Martha's Vineyard. Well written, with special interest to those who have visited the Vineyard, and those who plan to some day.

LITTLE GAMES & PARTIES by Margaret Powers. A book of very simple games for very young people, aged 3 to 6.

A BOOK OF LITTLE CRAFTS by Margaret Powers. A how to do it book of crafts, for young children. Should be of interest to Cub Scout and Brownie leaders.

FIRST JOINER CRAFT by Charlotte Jacobson. Another how to do it book, written especially for Cub Scout and Brownie leaders.

DO IT FUN FOR BOYS AND GIRLS by Mary and Dale Goss. Any child with this do it book, and a clutterbox, can make hundreds of gift games and ornaments.

QUIP!!

Some of Wilmington's knowing boys, (not town employees) say that it is time for the Town Manager to change his car, and get new plates. According to these gentlemen, all the employees have the license well memorized by this time.

EDITOR GIVES TALK

On Sunday evening, May 20, the Methodist Youth Fellowship had as guest speaker, Mr. Larz Neilson. Mr. Neilson favored the group with a very interesting talk on the history of early Wilmington.

ROTARY CLUB ENTERTAINMENT

Mr. Timothy Cunningham of the Wilmington Theatre has donated the use of his theatre to the Rotary Club for an entertainment which is to be given on June 5th at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6.00 and may be obtained from any Rotarian.

There will be a movie "Tap Roots" starring Van Heflin and Susan Hayward. This picture is one that is never forgotten.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Mr. Ernest Eames has been given supervision of parks and playgrounds by the town manager, in Wilmington. This work will be done in conjunction with his duties as Cemetery Superintendent. He is expected to use cemetery employees and equipment, to reduce expenditures for outside help.

THANKS

The faculty and children of the Junior High School join in thanking Miss Sylvia for an encyclopedia, which she has recently donated to the school.

PUBLIC RECITAL JUNE 4 BY MRS. KAMBOUR'S PUPILS

The pupils of Mrs. George C. Kambour will give a public recital at her home on Monday, June 4 at 7:30 p.m. The program is as follows:

- London Bridge - English
- The Sandman - French
- Diane Witham
- Matilda - Dutch
- Oh Susanna - Foster
- Eileen Lepore
- Hide and Seek - French
- If I a Bird - German
- Charles Sweet
- Duets - Hot Cross Buns
- Winter Goodbye
- Frere Jacques
- Diane Witham - Carol Richards
- German Waltz
- Indian Dance
- Peter Neilson
- Tirra Lirra - Bohemian
- Elf Man - German
- May Song - Dutch
- Jean DeAngelis
- Drink to Me Only - English
- Swedish Waltz
- Carol Richards
- Skye Boat Song - Scotch
- Serenade - Schubert
- Knight Rupert - Schumann
- Henry Chisholm
- English Country Dance
- Gigue - Corelli

- Freda Shepherd
- Minuet - Mozart
- Waltz - Brahms
- Thomas Buckle
- Waltz in A Minor - Grieg
- Gaetella DiPiano
- Country Gardens - Shepherd's Hey - Grainger
- Mazurka in F
- Charles Chipman
- Moonlight Sonata - Beethoven
- Little Waltz - Rebikov
- Ellen Pilcher
- Minute Waltz - Chopin
- Robert DeGirolamo
- Scenes from Childhood - Schumann
- The Minstrels - Debussy
- Constance Kambour
- Hungarian Rhapsody - Liszt
- Robert Russell

MIKE BARRY HAS A HEART

Did you see the story in the Boston Post, last week about Mike Barry, US Deputy Marshal, of Fitz Terrace? He was sent over to Cambridge, on an unpleasant duty, concerning a Federal Housing Project. Mike did his duty. However, Mike also saw to it that a mother cat and her five kittens were able to have a home, in spite of their master being ejected. Mike left one of the windows of the home open, just for kitty's benefit.

PAPER DRIVE

The Fireside Fellowship of the Congregational Church held a very successful paper drive, Saturday. The drive is to be continued this coming Saturday, in order to collect from those homes which were not visited before.

PAST MASTER'S NIGHT

Past Master's night was observed by the Friendship Lodge, AF & AM on Wednesday evening, May 16. Lobster salad supper was served to about 90 members.

CARD OF THANKS

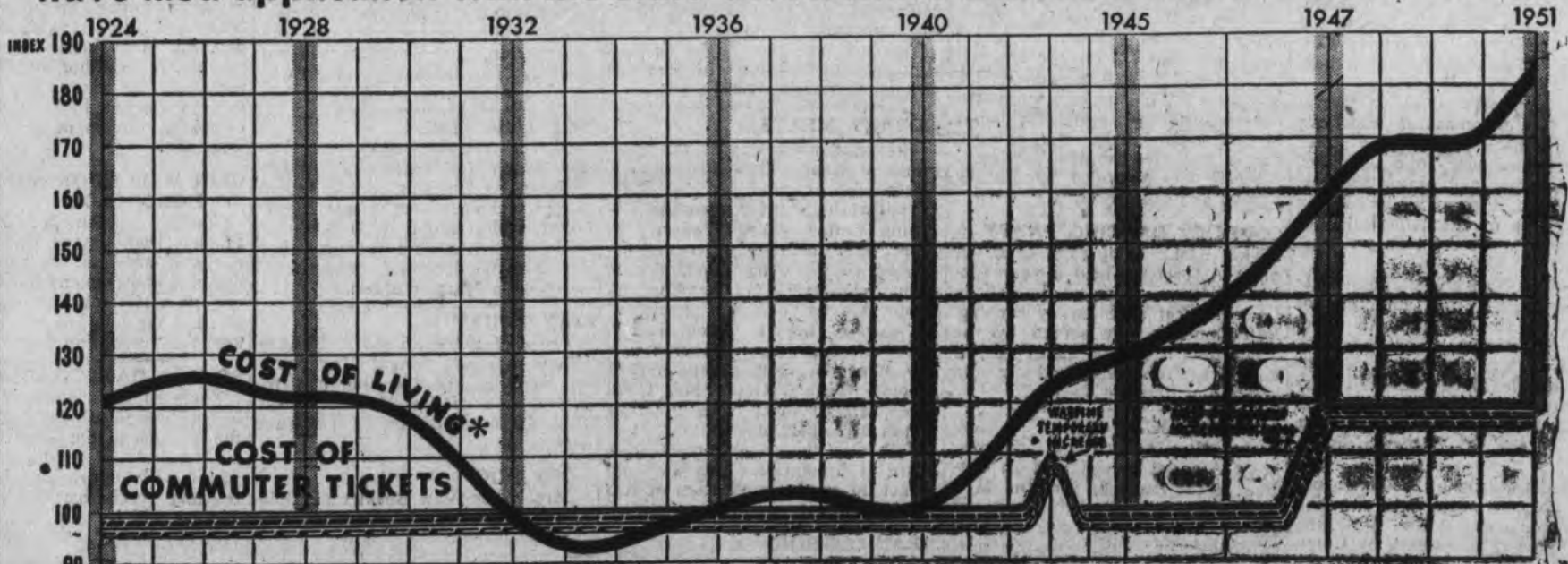
Wilmington Crusader
Mr. Larz Neilson, Editor.

Dear Sir:
Will you please express to the people of Wilmington, my sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses shown to our family.
We are unable to thank everyone individually, but we know that everyone is praying for Joy and will be glad to know that she will soon be home.

(s) Mrs. Gordon Hamilton.

SORRY, COMMUTERS - We can't hold out any longer...

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MEETING OF THE HOSPITAL FRIENDS

The first annual meeting of the Friends of the Winchester Hospital was held the afternoon of May 17th at Music Hall in Winchester, with Mrs. Fulton Brown presiding. Reports show that over 300 friends have been working for the hospital this year. A splendid record!

Mr. Harlen L. Paine, Jr., administrator of the hospital spoke on the increasing costs of operation. Last year it cost \$17.00 a day to care for a patient, this year it costs \$19.50. It is not due entirely to inflation, shortages and the raise in wages, but also to the high prices of many drugs. He spoke of the help given by the friends in relieving trained personnel of many time consuming tasks, and of the great opportunity for this kind of service in the future when it will be more and more difficult for private hospitals to procure good nurses.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Fulton Brown, of Winchester; vice president, Mrs. Howard Morrison, of Winchester; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Paul Bergholtz of Reading; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph C. McCauley of Winchester and Treasurer, Mrs. Weston B. Baxter of Wilmington.

MOTHER'S CLUB WILL MEET MAY 31

The annual meeting of the Whitefield Mother's Club will be held on Thursday evening, May 31 at 8 p.m. in the Whitefield school lunchroom, for the election of officers and hearing of annual reports.

Following the business meeting, a surprise auction will be held.

POLICE BLOTTER

Week ending May 19 -

May 13 -

Auto accident in Wilmington Sq. before reported.

A dog was killed by an auto on Burlington Ave. Owner notified.

May 14 -

1:40 a.m. Discovered one of Wilmington's stores with an unlocked door. Notified owner. Everything ok. Mildred Burris, ambulance case, before reported.

A dog was killed on Middlesex Avenue. Owner notified.

Children reported throwing sticks into a cranberry bog.

Message to a No. Wilmington man. His sister died.

Mrs. Joseph DeCota, ambulance, before reported.

May 15 -

Delivered a message to a Randolph Road man.

Someone reported to be shooting near a gravel pit. Police investigated on two occasions, nothing found.

May 16 -

Lost child, a Silver Lake resident reported her child lost. It was found half an hour later walking on Grove Ave.

A complaint was made against an ice cream vendor who was selling near the high school. Papers being dropped all over the grounds. The vendors license was in order. Case referred to proper officials.

Delivered a message to an Aldrich Road woman.

A River Street man reported that someone entered his house while he was out and ransacked it. Nothing apparently taken.

May 17 -

In Woburn Court. The defendant in a bad check case failed to appear. Warrant issued for his arrest.

A Wilmington youth appeared before Judge Henchy for theft of cigarette lighters in Lowell. Put on probation.

A Wilmington youth was given a one year's suspended sentence for juvenile delinquency, to the Y. S. B.

A Silver Lake summer camper complained about children playing ball on her property. She was advised as to her rights.

A summons for a South Tewksbury resident from Wilmington police was delivered.

A summons delivered to a North Wilmington man for the Lowell police. Traffic violation.

A summons to a Lake St. man for traffic violation.

A summons to a No. Wilmington youth, speeding.

Emergency call. David Calhoun, age 11, was taken to St. John's Hospital for Dr. Fagan, Appendicitis.

Reading police reported finding pocketbook of a Shawsheen Ave. woman.

Found three small boys in the rear of the Blue Terrace, window open. One boy had entered to retrieve a baseball. Sent them to their parents.

May 19 -

6:30 a.m. Helped a Taplin Ave. woman race the stork to St. John's Hospital.

West Street resident complained about excessive speed of gravel trucks.

A local store keeper complains that someone disconnected an oil line and he lost 200 gallons of fuel oil, from behind his store.

A woman has been having telephone trouble. It was straightened out.

The Boston & Maine RR complains that a boy with an air rifle has been shooting pellets through the windows, from near Shawsheen Avenue.

A Silver Lake resident complains of malicious damage by boys.

● TOWN NOTES ●

GARDEN

This is the week for home gardeners to set out their tomatoes. Those deservedly popular plants are to be found, along with corn, in almost any backyard garden. Most people today stake their tomatoes. Staking produces fruits perhaps a week earlier.

HIGH SCHOOL

The long missing handle on the outside of the cafeteria has been installed. Perhaps the handle has been in place over a month, but to your editor it is news. For a long time many of Wilmington's citizens who had business in the cafeteria had to wait good-naturedly until someone inside noticed them, and opened the door from the inside.

While we talk about the high school, we notice that a small fence has been erected at the corners of the walk, where it meets the drive way. Good idea. Keeps people off the lawn. Back in the old high school, people walked so persistently on one section of lawn that the school committee finally gave up and made that section into a driveway.

EAST SCHOOL

As has been noted elsewhere, something is being done to the East School. When were classes last held here? 1913. Did anyone ever hear the children's story about treasure in the East School Yard? Somebody told it to your editor once, and he has forgotten it.

GRAVEL TRUCKS

We were driving up Lowell Street one evening last week, and noticed one of Taurasi's drivers with a broom, sweeping spilled gravel off the highway. No one can complain at things like that.

TOWN HALL

The exterior of the Town Hall has been painted white. The doors are painted grey. There are new steps on the side of the building, and there is a new bulkhead to the steps in the back. There is no longer a steeple, where the steeple used to stand. The plaster has been fixed up inside, and one of the anterooms has disappeared. But it is still the same town hall, and we suspect it will be for many more years.

MORE ON GRAVEL TRUCKS

Some of the citizens of West St., were complaining about the operations of gravel trucks in that area. The company which runs these trucks is not the Taurasi company, and it seems that the gravel is coming from a pit in North Reading. We understand that the police have rerouted the trucks to run on Woburn Street, at least so our birdie tells us.

DRUG STORE

The backwall is down, now, for that section of the Center Drug Store Block which is not being used at the present time. The view is a little startling to Wilmington old-timers. Where a wall has been for 40-odd years there is now wall now.

THIEVES

The robbery in the Tobey house and the many attempts on our local garages accents a difference in the way of living, today. Fifty years ago no one bothered to lock doors, in Wilmington. Now we have to lock up even if we are just in the back garden.

MR. GOOD

Our new Superintendent of Schools has not yet succeeded in finding a house that he likes. We understand that he has examined just about every vacant house in Wilmington. (Didn't know that there were any until this item came along.)

THE TOWN MANAGER'S DOG...

Dean Cushing has a beautiful St. Bernard puppy, all black, who answers to the name of "Brandy." Unfortunately, the puppy is too big for Dean's present home, and he hates to let him romp around in somebody's garden, so - - - if you want a dog - - - see the Town Manager.

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DAY OR NIGHT FOR APPOINTMENT

SPORTS NIGHT AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Saturday, the 2nd of June will be Sports Night at the high school cafeteria. All these who are to receive awards for their participation in the winter and spring sports schedules will be honored at this time with a program which includes speaking, presentation of awards, refreshments and dancing.

The festivities, which start at 8 p.m. are in the hands of a committee headed by Mrs. Margaret Calnan, of Glen Rd. Included in the committee are Leo O'Connell, Carl Connor, Carl Backman, George Kambour, Joseph I. Donovan, Jr., Constantine O'Doherty Jr., Lawrence Cushing, Cesidio Tessicini, Leona Porter, Marilyn Lynch, Gerald O'Reilly, Donald O'Connell, Albert Ethier and Edward Kambour.

Bob Margarita, formerly head coach of football of Georgetown University and now associated with Harvard University will be the speaker of the evening. Mr. Dean Cushing, town manager will be the master of ceremonies. Tickets are available from any of the committee, or from any of the high school athletes.

AUTO ACCIDENT AT SILVER LAKE

At 10 p.m. on May 22 there was a collision between a Ford sedan, driven by Lawrence W. Carlson, and a Pick-up Truck, driven by Bob Denton. The accident happened on Main Street near the McManus Liquor Store. Both drivers were going north. There was light property damage.

STICKER DAY IN COURT

Some 14 men pleaded guilty before Judge Henchy in Woburn District Court, on May 24 to driving cars without proper stickers. Each man was fined \$5.00.

REV. MAXFIELD APPOINTED ELDER

Rev. Otis Maxfield, pastor of the Methodist Church of Wilmington, has been appointed an Elder in the Methodist Church, Lynn District.

HOME BROKEN INTO TV SET STOLEN

Mrs. John Tobey, of Salem Street, reported to the police on May 24 that her home was broken into, sometime between 10 a.m. and noon. Mrs. Tobey was out at that time doing her shopping. Entrance had

been effected thru the front screen door, and one of the windows.

The rooms had been ransacked. Several items of costume jewelry and a small diamond ring were taken, as well as about \$17.00 in cash. A table model television set, valued at \$200 was also taken. The State police were called.

ANNUAL LAWN PARTY

The annual lawn party and auction of the LBS of the Congregational Church is to be held, Friday June 1 in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Melzar on Lake Street. Coffee and Punch is to be served by the ladies of the West Branch. Bring your own supper. The auction begins at 4:30 p.m.

The ladies report that they have an unusually large collection of articles to be sold, and they are still getting more. Any donations however late, will be appreciated.

EDWARD GILBERT IS NOT EDWARD E. GILBERT

Last week's Crusader carried a story that Edward E. Gilbert had been involved in a little trouble, in Woburn. This is to report that this is not the same individual who lives on Highland Street, in North Wilmington. Edward Gilbert, a friend of ours, is not Edward E. Gilbert of Tewksbury and Maine.

CHARLIE MCCARTHY SPEAKS AT HIGH SCHOOL

Charlie McCarthy, of the Lowell Office of the Social Security Administration, spoke to the Seniors of Wilmington High School, on May 21. He spoke on the problems of Social Security, as it affects the high school graduate, and the benefits to be obtained therefrom.

No. Edgar wasn't there.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. Clifford Good assumes his post as Superintendent of Schools in Wilmington on Friday, the 1st of June.

NEW TELEPHONE FOR TOWN MANAGER

Dean Cushing has a new telephone number. It is now Wilmington 2-7043.

LAST ANNUAL DANCE

The last annual dance of the Young Adults Club was held at the Mount Hood Country Club, in Melrose on May 18. About 50 couples, members and guests attended.



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THE WILMINGTON CRUSADER assumes no financial responsibility for errors in advertisements, but will publish without charge a correction in the next issue.

THAT PAY SCHEDULE

The action of Dean Cushing, the Town Manager, in setting the pay schedule is something that the town has been waiting for. For once, the employees of the town, with some exceptions, know where they stand. There it is, all in black and white, and not only the employees, but all citizens now know how much any particular job now pays.

Generally speaking, the reaction is favorable. There are those who disagree with this schedule. Some of them would disagree with any pay schedule. Many persons agree that \$1.15 an hour is not too bad, considering that there will be a full year's employment, with eight paid holidays, and two weeks vacation with pay. The town employee, it must be remembered, does not have to pay the daily railroad transportation bill that most of his neighbors have to pay.

It must be noted that not all the credit goes to the Town Manager. He set into effect a schedule, of which many details had previously been worked out by a committee of citizens, headed by Frank Stevens, of Glen Road. This schedule was prepared last winter, and has been waiting for action by the Town Manager.

The phase which concerns the lower brackets of pay has come into criticism from some quarters. Your editor feels that he must comment, without, however, taking sides.

The Cemetery Department employees, some of them of some years experience are paid \$1.00 an hour. There are people who feel that this is unfair, when other employees of equal experience get more.

There is a schedule in which casual labor is to be paid 90c an hour in some of the departments. Some people feel that there will be no casual labor at this rate. They point out that a pick and shovel artist today is paid \$1.25 in many places.

We shall see!

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Here's a few tips on how to cook fried chicken!

FRIED CHICKEN IN BATTER

1 frying chicken (2½ - 3 lbs.)
1 cup all purpose flour
1 tsp. salt
1 egg

¾ cup lard or shortening or cooking oil, for frying

Cut chicken into 8 serving pieces - 2 breasts, 2 wings, 2 thighs, 2 drumsticks. Use back, neck, giblets to make broth for giblet cream gravy.

Wash chicken well and dry. Sift flour and salt into bowl, make a well in the center. Beat egg and milk together, pour into well, beat with rotary beater until batter is smooth.

Heat melted fat ½ inches deep in large, heavy frying pan until a drop of water sizzles in it. Dip chicken, a piece at a time, in batter to coat. Coat well. Place 3 or 4 pieces of chicken in pan, skin side down, to brown in hot fat; turn, brown other side; drain on absorbent paper; brown rest of chicken. Arrange browned chicken in single layer in shallow baking pan.

bake in moderate (350 deg.) oven 20 to 30 min. When tender it may be pierced with a 2 tined fork. Serve with plain or cream giblet gravy.

Our Favorite MARYLAND CHICKEN

Cut and bone 1 frying chicken into 4 serving pieces (2½ to 3 lbs.) Remove skin and salt and pepper chicken. You'll have two breasts and two legs and thighs. Dip in

salt and peppered flour, then in egg that has been diluted with 2 tbs. cold water, then let dry, rolled bread crumbs. Place in baking pan and dot with butter or margarine. Bake in 450 degree oven 20 to 30 minutes, basting every 10 min. using ¼ cup melted butter or margarine, and then the fat in the pan, flour and top milk. Make cream gravy, using the fat in the pan, flour and top milk. The chewy, luscious, delectable flavorful brown bits of chicken in the pan, make delectable cream gravy.

Isn't it wonderful to see so many fresh vegetables in the market? Here's a wonderful way to serve strawberries . . . so easy, and it makes them go farther. Hull and wash a box of strawberries, pack them into a ring mold, just as tightly as they will fit. Prepare lime gelatin, as directed on package. Cool slightly, pour over berries. When cool slip into refrigerator until firm. Unmold onto a plate, fill center with whipped cream. Pretty enough for a company dessert . . . simple enough for a busy wash day. A must with it is a rich chocolate cake.

Here's a little poem that was sent in to me. I wonder how many of us have ever felt the same way? It's title is . . .

QUICK CHANGE

Each sunny morning, my sweet first-born

When you are good as gold, My fondest wish is that you'd stay Forever one year old!

But rainy days when one-year ways Indoors make Mother harried, My wish is then, O baby boy, That you were grown . . . and married!

—Rosa Lee Jay

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MENTAL ILLNESS

Recent years have witnessed great popular and medical interest in the mental health problems of this nation. Federal and state legislation, books and magazine articles, and motion picture, radio, and television dramas dealing with mental abnormalities reflect this awareness.

Figures on the number of persons suffering from mental illness seem to justify concern. There are nearly 700M mentally ill people in hospitals, occupying one-half the total of all hospital beds in this country. In addition, it is estimated that there are 8 to 10 million people, not now hospitalized who need treatment for mental ills of one kind or another.

These high figures do not necessarily indicate that mental illnesses are on the increase in this country. It may be that we are more aware of the problem because more attention is being paid to mental health than ever before. Moreover, increased medical knowledge of the human mind and its ills has helped doctors detect and treat more cases of mental illness.

Of course, all the mentally ill are not suffering from insanity. There are various kinds and degrees of mental illness, ranging from the simple and harmless to the more complex and dangerous. But the main thing for people to realize is that mental or emotional disturbance is an illness like any physical disability and that it can be corrected in the majority of cases with proper medical attention. Like physical illness, the earlier mental ailments are detected and treated, the easier the cure.

Mild mental and emotional troubles can frequently be treated by the family doctor, or by a specialist whom he recommends. Even in cases of severe mental illnesses, excellent work is being done by doctors, nurses and medical-social workers in hospitals and clinics. At least 65 per cent of patients cared for in mental hospitals today are discharged as cured or improved.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Wilmington, Mass.
May 28, 1951

Mr. Larz Neilson, Editor
The Wilmington Crusader

Dear Sir:

When our local Veterans posts, the American Legion or the VFW have a smoker, or entertainment, we can always count on 50 or 100 of the members being present. When we have a parade, we know that everyone will be there. In our various activities we always have a good turnout.

Yesterday as Memorial Sunday. Both organizations had advised all their members to attend Church, in uniform, and in a group. This year, in our rotational plan, we were to attend the Congregational Church.

From both organizations there were a total of 10 men present! Have our veterans forgotten their God? Is this the best that we can do at a Memorial Service to those who have gone before? Were it not for the ladies of the Auxiliaries the pews reserved for the Veterans would have been very empty indeed.

A disgusted Vet.

A Chat with Marion

The two P's are the news for budget-saving meals. Yes the prima donnas . . . pork and poultry! These two P's are the best buys in the market at the moment, for your family's Sunday - or any - dinner. Each good cook knows her fried

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On Saturday, June 2, the town of Dracut will celebrate its 250th anniversary with a gala parade, in which Wilmington firemen have been invited to take part.

The old horse-drawn hand tub, belonging to the Wilmington Firemen's Association will once again come into its own as a very important part of this event. This horse-drawn fire engine was in service during the years between 1903 and 1919 and was stationed adjacent to Harriman's Tannery. Several of Wilmington's Firemen will accompany the tub in the parade as an honor guard. The committee in

cludes: George Cushing, Harold Cail, James McCue, Ernest Cail and Fred Kleynen.

Further details will be given at a later date.

WILL MEET JUNE 4

The next regular meeting of the Silver Lake Betterment Association will be held on June 4th. Hostess for the evening will be Phyllis De-Tomasso.

WILMINGTON'S 4-H

Wilmington's 4-H members made a very good showing at the County Girls Day activities in Concord on May 19, as 30 4-H girls accompanied by three leaders: Mrs. Thomas Lafionatis, Mrs. Marion Woller and Miss Barbara Nims attended.

Nine of the girls won blue ribbons: Sandra Blanchard, for crayon craft, stenciling and wood burning; Nora Letellier, for crayon craft; Dorothy Chisholm, for a hooked rug; Ruth Griffin, for crayon craft and wood burning; Connie Kambour, for her notebook; Joan Nims, for a stuffed horse; Georgette Crispo, for a stuffed doll; Joan Blanchard, for crayon craft and Shirley Plumer, for a notebook on child care.

MEETING OF SILVER LAKE GROUP

On Sunday afternoon, May 20, New England 4-H Club services were conducted at the Cathedral of the Pines in Rindge, N. H. Over 500 4-H Club members and leaders were present.

Attending from Wilmington were Mrs. Thomas Lafionatis, leader of the Handy Workers Club; Mrs. Williams, leader of the Handy Hands Club and Miss Barbara Nims chairman of the 4-H Town Committee.

MRS. MATTIE B. COGSWELL DIES

Mrs. Mattie B. Cogswell, 84, passed away on Sunday at a Stoneham nursing home. Mrs. Cogswell was a resident of Wilmington for many years, having lived on Middlesex Avenue.

Mrs. Cogswell is survived by her sister Mrs. Eugene Coombs of Middlesex Avenue.

Funeral services were held from the Nichols Funeral Home on May 23 with Reverend Stanley Cummings officiating. Burial was in the Harmony Grove Cemetery at Portsmouth, N. H.

TOWN MAN ELECTED COMMANDER OF VFW

Joseph Grimes was elected Commander of District 15, which is composed of 17 VFW posts in No. Middlesex County at the District Encampment which was held in Lowell on Friday, May 18. Also

elected were: William Simmons, junior vice commander; Francis J. Farrell, quartermaster and Frederick Horton, adjutant. Members of Wilmington VFW Post 2458 were elected to four out of the six offices voted upon.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

The regular meeting of Den 1 was held on May 18 at the home of Mrs. Neilson on High Street. Routine opening ceremonies were conducted and dues collected. Capt. Sylvia Neilson, WAC, USA, drilled the boys in marching in preparation for the Memorial Day parade.

Den 2 met on May 17 at the home of Mrs. Ratcliffe of Ballardvale St. Routine opening ceremonies were conducted by Brian Phillips. The boys worked on their Cub Olympics and songs and games were enjoyed.

Den 3 meeting was postponed.

Den 4 met on May 16 at the home of Mrs. Kitchener on Aldrich Road. Routine ceremonies were conducted. The boys practiced their marching for the Memorial Day parade and songs were enjoyed.

Den 6 met on May 18 at the home of Mrs. Deming on Federal St. Routine ceremonies were conducted. A special hike was conducted on last Saturday morning. The boys were accompanied by their Den Chief Ronald Lyman. A new member, Peter Nicholas was welcomed into the Den.

Den 7 met on May 17 at the home of Mrs. North on Fairview Ave. Routine ceremonies were conducted. The boys worked on their Cub Olympics and songs and games were enjoyed.

Den 9 met on May 21 at the home of Mrs. Day on Parker St. Routine ceremonies were conducted. The boys worked on their Cub Olympics and songs and games were enjoyed. The meeting closed with the Cub Promise.

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE

The Earle C. Willoughby scholarship fund of the Middlesex Health Association which provides for one year's training in public health nursing, industrial nursing or occupational therapy has been opened for applications to girls of this area. Qualifications are as follows: 1.—Candidates must be (a) Registered nurses between the ages of 21 and 40 who show genuine interest in their work; (b) high school graduates with accepted qualifications for the field of occupational therapy applies, the training of non-medical workers will be considered. 2.—Preference will be given to those candidates who have lived or worked for at least one year in the Middlesex Health Association prior to application. 3.—Training must be taken only in approved institutions. 4.—Candidates will be expected to work within the boundaries of Massachusetts after training is completed.

Mrs. Stanley Cummings of Middlesex Avenue, is the local director and further information may be obtained from her.

"A GOOD JOB . . . WELL DONE"

Approximately three years ago, Pug and Etta Burpee, stood side by side atop a little hill on Woburn Street, and broke ground, with a pick and shovel for their home, which at that time was a far-away dream, which would be realized much later. As the weeks and months passed by, they worked tirelessly day and night, always together, never once did Pug climb the hill to work alone, always Etta was by his side. During the day, when Pug had to work at his regular work, his wife was never idle. How many girls would be willing to lay their own cement, help dig their own wells, to work until their hands were blistered?

As the months faded into years, the work continued, little by little, their dream began to take shape, slowly because there were only two pair of hands, but surely because the hands were loving. Each nail

that was driven, each board that was laid, brought the home they longed for a little nearer.

On Sunday, May 13, Pug and Etta moved into their finished home, it was home without ever having been lived in, because they had worked so hard and long for it. Nothing gives more satisfaction than doing a good job and standing back to admire it. Well, stand back "kids" and admire all you want to, you sure deserve that home. All we can say now is: A good job - well done!

AUCTION

The East Wilmington Improvement Association will sponsor an auction on Saturday, June 9. The Association is still soliciting articles for this sale. Anyone wishing to donate may leave articles with Mrs. Clarice Robinson on Wildwood St. The public is cordially invited to attend.

FIRE REPORT

At 10 p.m. on Wednesday, May 16 the fire dept. answered a resuscitator call at the Masonic Hall.

At 10:30 p.m. on May 16 the fire dept. was called to extinguish a fire in the incinerator at the Whitefield School. Engine 3 responded.

On Friday, May 18 the fire dept. responded at 1:45 p.m. to a call on Aldrich Road to extinguish a fire caused by children. Engine 3 responded.

At 5:45 on the same day, the fire dept. was called to extinguish a brush fire caused by children off Lake Street. Engine 3 responded.

The fire dept. was called out at 12:25 p.m. on May 19th to a brush fire on Ballardvale St. Engine 3 responded.

At 8:30 p.m. on May 19 the fire dept. was called to fight a fire at the Woburn line off Chestnut St. Engines 3, 4, and 5 responded.

On Sunday, May 20, at 12:18 p.m. the fire dept. was called to extinguish a brush fire on Harris St. Engine 3 responded.

At 2:30 a.m. on May 20th the fire dept. was called to Woburn St., to extinguish a pile of brush which had been left burning.

At 5:45 p.m. on May 22, the fire dept. answered a call to an automobile on Main St., no damage.

PICTURE OF ANY SELECTMAN

"Why, yes, dear, this is a new necktie . . . Yes I am going to wear it . . . well, just because I think . . . Yes, I know that there is a new girl down there . . . no, she isn't supposed to be there all the time . . . she is just helping the Town Manager for a couple of days . . . Yes, I know she is pre--- Aw honey, . . . Oh all right, I'll wear that tie your mother gave me for Christmas."

NEW SPRAYER

Bill Babine, the tree warden was using the new sprayer this week, to spray elm trees, all around town. Elm leaf beetle is what he is warring against. 6 per cent DDT is the weapon.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

(Seal) LAND COURT

Case No. 6036-S

Upon the petition of Norbert Sell and Barbara M. Sell, of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, representing that they are the holders of four Treasurer's Deeds, one entered as Document No. 15588 noted on Certificate of Title No. 1990, issued from the Middlesex North Registry District; one entered as Document No. 16851 as covered by Document No. 21716, noted on Certificates of Title Nos. 4171 and 4261; and one entered as Document No. 15077 as covered by Document No. 21716, noted on Certificate of Title 2846, all issued from said Registry District and covering land on Oakwood Road in said Wilmington, the sales under which have been duly determined by the Tax Commissioner for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to be sales under the provisions of the low value statute; and praying that said Certificates of Title Nos. 1990, 4171, 4261 and 2846 be cancelled insofar as they relate the above-mentioned documents and that a new Certificate be issued to them, therefore, it is ORDERED that the Recorder give notice of this petition forthwith by sending by registered mail a copy of this Order to MOLLY O'CONNOR, AUGUSTUS O'CONNOR, HELEN O'CONNOR, GEORGE O'CONNOR, ALICE O'CONNOR, VINCENT T. O'CONNOR, ELEANOR O'CONNOR, and JULIA F. O'CONNOR, of Somerville, MARY E. SCANLON, of Lexington, MIKAL K. OLSEN and CECELIA E. OLSEN, of Arlington, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth. If they desire to oppose said petition they or their attorney must file a written answer under oath, setting forth their objection or defense to said petition and file the same in the office of the Recorder of said Court, at the Court House, in Boston, on or before the ELEVENTH day of JUNE next.

Unless an objection is so filed, the said petition will be taken as confessed and all respondents will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any order or decree the Court may make.

And it is FURTHER ORDERED that notice of this Order be given to All To Whom It May Concern and To any Persons Interested in the Estates of John O'Connor, Thomas O'Connor, Mary E. Welch, Gertrude A. Callahan, Michael J. Hanley, John T. Hanley, Gertrude May Travers, Frederick W. Travers, William H. Travers and Robert J. Travers, by publishing a copy of this Order once each week for three successive weeks in the Wilmington Crusader, a newspaper published in said Wilmington.

By the Court.

Attest:

THOMAS B. CUMMINGS
Deputy Recorder.

May 15, 1951.

M-23-30-J-6

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 are also requested to be present.

MAY QUEEN SELECTED

The Girl Scout and Brownie May
 Day observance was held on the
 common on Saturday, May, 19.
 Leaders and troops present were:
 Mrs. H. Lawler, Mrs. E. Manning,
 Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. D. Booker,
 Mrs. Creamer, Mrs. Boylen, Mrs.
 Stickney and Mrs. Sussenberger.
 Games were played and a treas-
 ure hunt was enjoyed. The May
 Queen selected was Arlene Bou-
 dreau. Activities were under the di-
 rection of Paula Rice.

Boy Scout Camporee Held

Under the spreading leaves of a forest of young black oak, up in the country where that crafty old sagem, Nen-saw-tucket tried to sell the same land to the white men twice, is a place known as Camp 40 Acres. It is owned by the Wilmington Youth Camps, Inc. and consists of a series of granite hills, up near the Andover line.

All Saturday morning, the residents of Middlesex Ave. and Andover Road could see the Wilmington Boy Scouts hiking by patrols, towards this camp, and the site of the 1951 Camporee. Some of the boys, older, and more woodwise, had but light loads, and were able to hike along in manful fashion. Others, younger, had heavy knapsacks, almost as large as themselves, under which they staggered along. A Cub Scout, Philip Washburn, who should not have been in the group, made the hike and helped the Eagle Patrol prepare their campsite after arrival at the camp. Philip, according to Cub Scout rules was not allowed to stay all night, and he was sent home after the evening campfire, leaving his older companions to fight the mosquitoes all by themselves, all night long.

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the boys had invited General MacArthur to be the Judge of the camp. The great General had been unable to come however, and in his place a few lesser generals substituted themselves. Generals Dean Cushing, Paul Lynch, Arthur Boudreau, Larz Neilson and George Kambour were the local judges, and they had as co-judges, President Harry S. "Charlie" Emerson, Lowell Council Commissioner of the Boy Scouts and Vice President Alben S. "Bernie" Stanwood, Field Executive of the Lowell Council. The judges toured the camp in real solemn fashion, noting the preparations the boys had made to keep the rain from their sleeping sites. It was quite evident the judges decided that most of the boys knew it wasn't going to rain. Perhaps they had employed that old Italian stunt of listening to the radio before starting off on a trip.

Your reporter doesn't know if the idea had been planned beforehand, but midway in the inspection, the judges had to stop and sample the coffee and fritters, which had been prepared over an open fire, by Big Chief Cook, Gus Detato. The fritters, the judges decided, were good. It did not influence their later judging.

After a night spent slapping mosquitoes, the boys greeted the morning with a sigh of relief. All boys went to Ballardvale, hiking thru the woods, and up Ballardvale Road, for Church Services, after which they returned to the camp for their lunch.

At 3:30 p.m. the Colors were hauled down, in a colorful Retreat, and then the awards were made to the various patrols, by ASM Dudley Buck.

Who won? The Cobra Patrol, of course, they were awarded the custody of the Camporee Award, a Silver Cup which Wilmington Troop 1 won back in 1939 from all other troops in the Lowell Council. If the Cobras can repeat for two more years, they will keep the cup. Richard Pellerin, the Cobra Patrol leader says that the Cobras will. The other Patrol leaders have something to say about that.

Oh yes, it was not only the mosquitoes who kept the all night vigil. We have to report that the Wilmington police kept a very close eye on proceedings, and visited the camp several times during the night. It is things like that that enables the Scout's dads and moms to be able to sleep at home, and not worry about their boys. The police were awake, the Scouts were awake, and the Parents slept.

WILLIAM KEOUGH NAMED TO HONOR ROLL

William Keough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Keough, 87 Florence Ave., has been named to the President's Honor Roll for superior ability and achievement for the quarter just ended at Burdett College. Mr. Keough is a senior in the Business Administration Department.

B&M SEEKS FARE INCREASE FOR FIRST TIME SINCE 1924

The Boston & Maine Railroad today filed a petition with the Interstate Commerce Commission and with the State Commissions of Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, New York, and Vermont seeking approval of a fare increase of 66 2/3 % on monthly commutation tickets and multiple ride tickets.

P. J. Mullaney, General Manager of the road in announcing the filing said, "we have had only one increase in commutation fares since 1924. Last year the Boston & Maine lost an estimated \$5,000,000 in commuter service and the 66 2/3 % increase which we are asking for will result in the commuter taking up only 40% of the loss."

He pointed out that the Boston & Maine commutation service contributes only 25% of the entire passenger revenue of the road, but accounts for nearly 2/3 of the total number of passengers handled.

Mullaney stated that the proposed increase would not affect regular one-way tickets, or one-day or 30-day round trips over \$1.25, but would effect multiple 5 and 12 ride tickets along with the 46-ride and 60-ride monthly tickets. He said, "The average fare in commutation service on the Boston and Maine today is 1.6c per mile, while the long-haul coach one-way fare is approximately 3.375c per mile."

The Boston & Maine, one of the largest commuter carrying railroads in the country, handles approximately 20,000 people daily in commutation service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NEWS

The Church School board will meet at the parsonage Thursday night at 7:00, starting with dessert. The Executive Committee of the Fireside Fellowship will meet on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Robert Hamilton.

The annual Lawn Party of the LBS will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Melzar on Lake St., commencing at 4:30 p.m. Those attending will bring their own lunch and coffee and punch will be served. During the afternoon and evening there will be an auction and food sale.

The Fireside Fellowship paper drive will be continued on Saturday.

Next Sunday morning there will be a service of Communion, reception of new members, and baptisms. Parents are notified that there will be no baptisms on Children's Day, which occurs the following Sunday.

The Fireside Fellowship will hold its final indoor meeting of the season next Sunday evening at the parsonage.

AMBULANCE CASE

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HOWE DEFEATS WILMINGTON

On last Wednesday, May 23, at the Kohlrausch Playgrounds, the Howe High Indians took a close 3 to 1 decision from nearby Wilmington High as Billy Matthews again collected another win for himself. This game was scheduled the week before but was rained out.

Matthews went all the way for the locals, pitching a two-hitter and striking out six of the opposing batsmen. He walked none.

Ethier started for Wilmington and went seven innings yielding to Kambour. Ethier gave up 8 hits and struck out 5 Howe batsmen. Kambour gave up two hits.

Howe scored all their runs after Wilmington scored in the first inning. Howe scored single runs in the fifth, seventh and eighth frames.

Wentworth, rf; Myles, c; and Mahoney, 2b; were the power hitters collecting two hits each.

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